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For: METHOD OF IMPROVING THE PERFORMANCE OF ORGANIC  
COATINGS FOR CORROSION RESISTANCE

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby request that the following amendments be made to the above identified application prior to the examination thereof by the Examiner.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.